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Decision on Petition

This is a decision in response to the communication filed July 21, 2010, which is being treated as a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.183 and a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.378(b).

The petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.183 is **granted**.

The petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.378(b) is **granted**.

The Office has charged the required petition fee (\$400), the required surcharge (\$700), the 3.5 year maintenance fee (\$490), and the 7.5 year maintenance fee (\$1,240) to Deposit Account No. 08-1394.

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